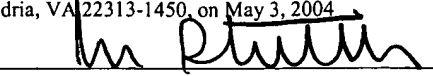


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In support of applicants' appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences,
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